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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

## Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

The largest providers in my area are cable companies, who really want to sell TV subscriptions. They throttle various other services (such as watching baseball), basically making for a poor experience. I also have a business in my home and need consistent, unthrottled access.

My local broadband provider is cheaper and better than the larger companies. Please prevent anticompetitive business practices by the ISP giants.

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